

CLAIMS:

1. In an assembly including a fluid coupling, a prime mover for driving said fluid coupling, a rotating comminuting machine, a power train between said fluid coupling and said rotating comminuting machine, said fluid coupling having an impeller and a runner, said runner being fastened to an output shaft, and a flange at the bottom of the fluid coupling, the improvement comprising a reservoir that is remotely mounted at a level below the flange at the bottom of the fluid coupling and having a conduit connecting the flange at the bottom of the fluid coupling with the reservoir, and a pump with an inlet communicating with and positioned below the level of oil in said reservoir.

2. The improvement of claim 1 wherein said pump is directly driven by an electric motor.

3. The improvement of claim 1 wherein said pump is directly driven by a hydraulic motor.